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**Bill No: 113.20**                              **Section:** 6



**Title of Bill:** Global Conservation Act


## BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS

1  Preamble: Considering the steady and consistent depletion of forests and natural resources
2  scientists believe that by the end of the century half of all species will be extinct by the end
3  of the century. Developing countries around the world are also lacking sources of clean
4  water, medicines derived from natural resources, and other products from nature. Although
5  other countries around the globe conduct conservation programs the U.S. does not have a
6  formal or coordinated strategy for stopping environmental depletion. The Global
7  Conservation Act would mandate such a strategy.
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9  Section I: The purpose of this act is to strengthen the United States leadership and
10 effectiveness in response to global natural resource depletion. The main goals of the Global
11 Conservation act are establishing a comprehensive global natural resource conservation
12 assistance strategy for the U.S. government to assist developing countries; including
13 addressing trends related to human well-being environmental stability such as loss of fish
14 stocks, watersheds, and other critical resources.
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16 Section II: The act will improve coordination among the U.S., foreign governments, and
17 international organizations in efficiently providing conservation assistance and through
18 governments, private organizations and multilateral organizations. Also improving
19 coordination between executive branches of foreign governments also involved in global
20 conservation efforts in order to increase efficiency.
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22 Section III: This act will provide authorization of funding for U.S. efforts to address major
23 threats to natural resources and ecosystems in developing countries.
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25 Enactment Clause: If this bill is to be passed it will be enacted one year after it is passed.
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